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Sir:

Responsive to Office action mailed on February 12, 2002, time for response having been extended to June 12, 2002 by payment of an one-month extension fee, applicants submit the following amendments and remarks to be entered into the above patent application and respectfully request to pass this application to allowance.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 2, 3, 4, and 5, amend claim 1 and add new claims 14 through 17 as follows. A marked-up copy to show the changes provided by this amendment is submitted herewith in accordance with 35 C.F.R 1.121.

1. (Amended) A ballistic armor panel for attaching to an object, the panel comprising a carrying board having a honeycomb form made of a hard metal or composite material formed with a plurality of adjoining through-going polygonal apertures, each aperture receiving a body having a corresponding polygonal shape made of hard material and having a longitudinal axis coaxial with an axis of the respective aperture.